CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

ORDER NO. R2-2003-0045 NPDES NO. CA0005363 RESCISSION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR:

RMC PACIFIC MATERIALS SUNOL SITE PLEASANTON, ALAMEDA COUNTY

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region (hereinafter the Board) finds that:

- On August 17, 1994, the Board adopted Waste Discharge Requirements, National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit No. CA0005363 in Order No. 94-095 for RMC Lonestar (now RMC Pacific Materials), Sunol Plant for the discharge of decanted wash water and infiltrating groundwater collected in wastewater ponds to San Antonio Creek, a tributary of Alameda Creek.
- 2. RMC Pacific Materials is a quarry and sand mining facility providing various grades of aggregates for construction and commercial uses.
- On June 25, 2002, the Board adopted Waste Discharge Requirements, Regionwide NPDES Permit No. CAG982001 in Order No. R2-2002-0063 for discharges from Aggregate Mining and Sand Washing Facilities to Surface Waters.
- 4. Order No. R2-2002-0063, a general permit for aggregate mining and sand washing facilities, provides that persons seeking coverage under this permit shall submit a Notice of Intent (NOI). If found to be complete, the discharger will be issued a Notice of General Permit Coverage (NGPC). Coverage under this General Permit starts from the date of the NGPC.
- 5. The discharger submitted an NOI on August 26, 2002. On March 25, 2003, an NGPC was issued to the discharger. Therefore, individual permit coverage under Order No. 94-095 is no longer necessary.
- 6. The rescission of waste discharge requirements is exempt from the provisions

of Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 21000 of Division 13) of the Public Resources Code (CEQA) pursuant to Section 13389 of the California Water Code.

- 7. The Board has notified RMC Pacific Materials and interested agencies and persons of its intent to rescind waste discharge requirements in Order No. 94-095, and has provided them with an opportunity for a public hearing and an opportunity to submit their written comments.
- 8. The Board, in a public meeting, heard and considered all comments pertaining to the rescission of waste discharge requirements for the above discharge.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT Order No. 94-095 is rescinded.

I, Loretta K. Barsamian, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region on May 21, 2003.

Loretta K. Barsamian Executive Officer